



# Bay Area Genealogical Society

## Newsletter

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### Friday, October 26, 2018: "Kick-Start Your Enthusiasm: Genealogy Education on the Web" presented by Gay E. Carter, MLS

*Public Invited. Join us at 6:30pm for socializing.*

We meet at the University Baptist Church (UBC) in the Chapel on the 1st floor  
(16106 Middlebrook Drive, Houston, TX 77059 - [online map](#)).

*Suddenly need to research a European ancestor? Want ideas for sharing your family history?* Genealogists often need to consult an expert, hone their skills, or find creative projects. Learn about the abundance of educational podcasts, webinars, and conference presentations that are available from the comfort of your home on your favorite computer and many are free. Get inspired and rediscover the fun and wonder of genealogical research!

Gay E. Carter is a retired reference and government documents librarian from The University of Houston-Clear Lake Alfred R. Neumann Library Archives & Special Collections. Engaged in genealogical research for over 35 years, she is a member of several genealogical organizations and is an alumna of the Samford University Institute of Genealogy and Historical Research. Her genealogical writings include articles on using university libraries for genealogical research in *Family Tree Magazine* and the National Genealogical Society magazine as well as numerous research-oriented articles for Clayton Library Friends and the Houston Genealogical Forum.



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**Next Month's General Meeting - Friday, November 30 at 7pm:** Mary Anthony Startz presents *The Cuban Papers An Overview to Researching this Treasure of Spanish Colonial Documents from the 16th, 17th and early 18th century,* a resource for locating family living in the Mississippi Valley, Gulf Coast, and East/West Florida areas prior to the Louisiana Purchase. The Clayton Library has a copy of these papers.

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**Members Helping Members Session**  
**Saturday, November 10 at 2pm**  
**at Friendswood Public Library**  
**(date change)**

**Next Bus Trip to Clayton Library is**  
**Wednesday, November 14.**  
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